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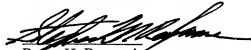
In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97-1.98, and supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statements filed March 13, 2006, March 17, 2006 and March 29, 2006, and June 15, 2007, Applicants hereby submit the International Preliminary Report on Patentability (in Japanese and English) for International Application No. PCT/JP2005/014356, of which the above-captioned application is a National Stage.

A copy of the International Preliminary Report on Patentability is enclosed. Applicants note that no new documents are listed in the International Preliminary Report on Patentability and that the documents cited and discussed therein were already made of record in the Information Disclosure Statement filed March 13, 2006. Thus, Applicants believe that no fee is necessary to ensure consideration of the submitted material. However, if any fee is needed for the consideration of this statement, including any payment under 37 C.F.R. §1.17 (p), the Office

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Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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